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JM	English language abstract for DE 3441239 (1986)
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the International Search Report and the references cited therein were supplied when this application entered the U.S. national phase. Therefore, copies are not required to be resubmitted. An English language abstract for DE 3441239 is enclosed herewith. Also enclosed herewith is a copy of the European Search Report. The references cited therein are the same as those cited in the International Search Report.

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